

Engineering News

New Working Groups

A new Working Group on 19mm HDTV Data (V16.02) has been formed under the direction of Les Aseere, 3M Co. This group will be preparing standards documentation for all recording parameters of the proposed HDTV digital format including 1050/59.94, 1125/60, 1250/50, and other applications as proposed.

A new Working Group on Serial Digital Jitter (formerly Ad-Hoc Group S17.12) has been formed under the direction of Kenneth Ainsworth of Tektronix. This working group will continue to study the subject of jitter and will draft a recommended practice on Measurement of Jitter in the Bit-Serial Digital Interface.

For further information on these groups, please contact the Engineering Dept. at SMPTE Headquarters.

Committee Information

SMPTE Engineering Committees meet to develop standards, practices, and engineering guidelines and to review existing documents to ensure that they are current with established engineering practices and are compatible with international standards.


Membership is open to those who have affirmed in writing that they are directly and/or materially affected and are willing and able to participate actively in the work.

Individuals interested in contributing to committee work should contact the Engineering Department at SMPTE Headquarters, (914) 761-1100.

SMPTE Monthly Engineering Meeting Schedule

The adjacent calendar shows the dates of upcoming meetings and the cities where they will be held. Specific locations may not yet be determined. Additional information on participation in the meetings is available from the Engineering Dept.

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October

13 Wed.	AHG on Production MP/TV Ent. A12.68 (M. Strong)	Disney Studios Burbank, Calif.
30 Sat.	Committee on Film Technology F2 (S. Champagne)	LACC Room 514
30 Sat.	WG on Video Index P18.41 (W. Miller)	LACC Room 504
30 Sat.	WG on Monitoring and Diagnostics S17.36 (W. Miller)	LACC Room 504
31 Sun.	Committee on Audio Recording and Reproduction Technology A12 (T. Holman)	LACC Room 504
31 Sun.	AHG on Revision of RP 103 V16.03/01 (R. Herman)	LACC Room 504

November

1 Mon.	Committee on Laboratory Practice L6 (P. Borque)	LACC Room 504
1 Mon.	Committee on Projection Technology P3 (G. Berggren)	LACC Room 504
29 Mon.	WG on Video Index P18.41 (W. Miller)	Sony Corp. San Jose, Calif.
29 Mon.	WG on Digital Control P18.10 (P. Jarrett)	Sony Corp. San Jose, Calif.
30 Tues.	WG on Headers and Descriptors P18.01 (B. Gerovac)	Sony Corp. San Jose, Calif.
30 Tues.	Committee on TV Production Technology P18 (M. Weiss)	Sony Corp. San Jose, Calif.

December

1 Wed.	WG on Digital Image Architecture S17.42 (P. Symes)	Hewlett-Packard Santa Clara, Calif.
1 Wed.	WG on Digital Audio Interfaces S17.40 (K. Reynolds)	Sony Corp. San Jose, Calif.
1 Wed.	WG on Jitter S17.12 (K. Ainsworth)	Sony Corp. San Jose, Calif.
2 Thurs.	WG on Monitoring and Diagnostics S17.36 (W. Miller)	Sony Corp. San Jose, Calif.
2 Thurs.	WG on Ancillary Data S17.10 (J. Safar)	Sony Corp. San Jose, Calif.